

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

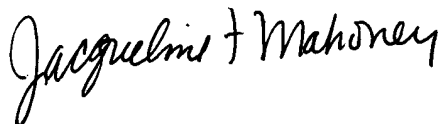
I. Amendments

The specification has been amended to format the Sequence Listing in accord with 37 C.F.R. §1.821 through 1.825. The Sequence Listing has further been amended to include unbranched sequences of four or more amino acids.

No new matter is introduced by way of these amendments.

If in the opinion of the Examiner a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (650) 846-4410.

Respectfully submitted,



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